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NEWS AND COMMENTS.

If public opinion counts for anything the McKINLAY tariff bill is a "bad egg."

THE Greensboro *Patriot* has suspended the publication of its daily edition. This is to be regretted, as the paper did good work for the material interests of Greensboro and the political interests of the Democracy.

THAT was a most gallant fight made by RUSSELL in Massachusetts, by which he wrested the governorship of the "Bay State" from the Republican party, and placed one of the old Centennial commonwealths in the Democratic column.

[I HAVE come here not with the purpose of eulogizing the administration but to bear my testimony that as Pennsylvania votes on next Tuesday the nation may vote two years hence.—*Extract from James G. Blaine's speech in Philadelphia Saturday night before the election.*]

REED'S probable sizing up of himself since the "late unpleasantness," as compared with his estimate of his greatness when he was Czar of the House and "monarch of all he surveyed," would be best expressed by the exclamation of the negro fisherman as he held up the lone "cat" on the string: "Great Lawd, how he is swunk!"

NOTHING in all the last campaign was more significant of the extent of the political revolution which had taken possession of the whole country than the fact that in New England leading men bearing the names of EVARTT and HOAR, long distinguished in the Republican party, were in the front bearing the Democratic banner.

WHILE it will require a few days more to ascertain definitely the views of every member of both houses of the General Assembly of North Carolina on the question of United States Senator, the complexion of that body is sufficiently known already to render the re-election of VANCE certain. It is doubtful that any other name will be submitted to the caucus.

GREAT is Tammany of the New York Democracy. It fought the "world, the flesh and the devil" the other day, coming out triumphant in the election of GRANT for Mayor. It has been the fashion to abuse Tammany. It is not spotless, but now and then it shakes itself like a lion, and punishes the enemies of Democracy, from the national administration down to the traitors in its own camp at home.

REED being placed *hors du combat* by "circumstances over which he had no control," public interest is now attracted to the question of who shall be his successor. We have no lack of material: CRISP, of Georgia; O'FERRALL, of Virginia; BYNUM, of Indiana; SPRINGER, of Illinois; MILLS, of Texas; HATCH, of Missouri—either one would be found equal to the duties of the Speakership of the House of Representatives.

How about that 6th auditorship at Washington? We wonder if BROWER would turn up his nose at the offer now. The difficulty is that he cannot go to the "powers that be" at headquarters, "carrying his sheaves with him." He has no *quid pro quo*—no equivalent—to offer, and has lost his "fluence." We would just like to see him bullying the Administration, in the tattered condition which he presents after the cyclone in the 5th district.

WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON, "Hero of Tippecanoe and Tyler too," will live in the memory of the "oldest inhabitant" chiefly from the fact that he knocked the old Whig party "galley west"—the famous "log-cabin campaign" of 1840 to the contrary notwithstanding. The election returns of last week would indicate that his mantle, together with his hat, has descended to his grandson BENNIE, whose one administration bids fair to be sufficient to make kindling wood of the g. o. p.

THE Republican majority of 80,000 in Pennsylvania was immense, but it melted away before the fearful corruption of QUAY and DELAMATER. When the Philadelphia *Inquirer* became convinced that it *must* retract its slander of Gov. PATTISON, it is a fact that the most tremendous pressure was brought to bear upon the proprietors of the paper by QUAY and the State Republican Executive Committee to induce them to withhold this act of justice to a wronged man. But the retraction appeared, and it cost DELAMATER thousands of votes.

A cessy of bountiful crops has been followed by the redemption of the whole country from the evil grasp of Radicalism and the restoration of good government in State and national affairs. This calls for gratitude, and the truly grateful heart is the generous heart. Let the hand of succor give relief to the needy and help the afflicted. The Oxford Orphan Asylum is one of the best of objects for the benevolence of our people, and is to-day in a condition imperatively demanding aid. Send in your offering in money or kind—clothing, bedding, food, etc., etc.

WISDOM and moderation, reinforced by courage and firmness, on the part of the Democratic party in the 52nd Congress will permanently secure to the whole country the fruits of the victory won last week. The rocks upon which the Republican party has gone to wreck are well out of the water—the McKinley tariff bill and the Lodge election bill: the one robbing the people's pockets, and the other aimed directly at their political rights and personal freedom. The Republican sins of omission are legion; their glaring sins of commission are hardly less numerous, with these two towering as monuments of pernicious legislation, and, to add to them, the policy of the party on the question of the free coinage of silver. We mistake both the ability and patriotism of the men whom the country sent to Washington as the result of the late elections if they do not prove themselves fully equal to the task of redressing the evils which have borne so heavily upon the people from past errors, if not crimes.

SINCE OUR LAST ISSUE.

Latest News from all Parts of the World, Prepared Especially for the Readers of "The Observer."

The five New England States have built, so far this year, sixteen miles of railroad. North Carolina has built two hundred and twenty-six. ——The secretary of the United States treasury has awarded a gold life-saving medal to Thomas M. Webb, of Wilmington, N. C., for rescuing Miss J. J. Hayes and Miss Irene Jackson from drowning at Wrightsville Beach, N. C., in August last. ——W. W. Cottrell, ex-Mayor of Cedar Keys, Fla., was assassinated by the Chief of Police of Montgomery, Ala. ——Secretary Noble refuses a recount for New York City. ——Alexander & Co., of the knitting factory of Decatur, Ills., have failed. ——A Boston house goes to the wall. ——There was a good deal of excitement at the polls in Philadelphia, and one man was shot. ——Extraordinary precautions are being taken to protect the Czar of Russia. ——A load of 709 tons of Pocahontas coal was sent from Lambeth's Point, Va., to London in the British steamship *Saragossa*. This is the first shipment of steamer coal ever made from the South to Europe. ——Railroads run through all but twelve of the ninety-six counties in North Carolina. ——The Alabama State Fair was started at Birmingham by Mrs. Grover Cleveland touching the electric button at Lenox, Mass., setting the machinery in motion. ——Gov. Fowle has offered a reward of $200 for the capture of Henry Bain, of Johnston county, charged with the murder of W. F. Davis. —— Greensboro's free delivery system went into operation on the 1st inst. ——J. M. Gerrill, of Craven county, while out hunting killed a 400 pound bear. ——Gov. F. T. Nichols, of Louisiana, who made such a gallant fight against the lottery in his State, is dismembered to a remarkable extent. He has lost a leg and an arm, and is blind in one eye. He lost his leg at Chancellorsville, and his arm was carried away by a cannon ball at Winchester. ——Mr. Armour, of the great packing house of Armour & Co., says that the cost of the tin which he will use the coming year will be increased $250,000 by the operation of the McKinley bill. Who will pay this quarter of a million dollars? ——The Wells elevator, one of Buffalo's great grain storehouses, was destroyed by fire. The total loss on the elevator and contents is estimated at $500,000. ——Secretary Noble has addressed a letter to Mayor Grant, and, for the second time, refuses to comply with the mayor's application for a recount of the population of New York. ——Chief secretary for Ireland Balfour has gone on a tour over the routes of the proposed railways in Donegal, Ireland. ——An Italian in Glasgow, Scotland, was murdered on his wedding night by one of his countrymen, who was not invited to the ceremony. ——Owing to the mental condition of the king of Holland, who has been declared incapable of governing, the duke of Nassau will be regent of the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg. ——Mrs. Arsene Julian and her year-old babe were burned to death at Bethlehem, Pa., by the explosion of an ordinary kerosene lamp, which she carried in putting the baby to bed. ——An Anarchist movement of extensive ramifications has been discovered at Lyons, France. The police have already arrested five persons supposed to be connected with the plot, and the arrest of others is expected to speedily follow. ——The Oxford Orphan Asylum is in pressing need of help. Collections were taken up last week to buy blankets to protect the little ones from the cold. We understand that the Asylum is several thousand dollars in debt. ——The Modern Tobacco Barn projected by Mr. W. H. Snow, of High Point, will henceforth be manufactured in Oxford. A $250,000 company has been organized in that place. It bids fair to be one of the biggest enterprises in the State. ——Hon. Roger Q. Mills, of Texas, says he will be a candidate for the Speakership of the next House of Representatives. ——A miraculous escape from death by the occupants of a sleeping-car occurred on the Cincinnati & Southern Railroad, at Junction City; a freight engine crushed through the car, mangling and injuring a number of persons, but, strange to say, not one of them was killed outright. ——A terribly destructive conflagration occurred at Owensboro, Ky.; a large number of buildings were burned, including a fine hotel, which was filled with guests; many of them were injured by jumping from windows, but no one was killed; the loss will probably reach $150,000. ——An explosion of powder mills is reported from China, by which three hundred persons were killed. ——A violent storm prevailed throughout Great Britain and Ireland, by which much damage has been done; a number of coasting vessels have been wrecked, and a yacht foundered, in which a Scottish nobleman lost his life. ——Train robbers wrecked a train on the Missouri Pacific Road, near Sedalia, Mo.; several persons were injured, but no one was killed; no report is made of the robbers securing any booty. ——An explosion of a cannon cartridge occurred at the Navy Yard, on Staten Island, which killed one man and severely injured four others. ——The president and treasurer of the Harper Bros. Co., a manufacturing firm of New York, have disappeared, and fifty thousand dollars are missing. ——Dun & Co. report that business continues large and prosperous, but speculation is depressed; business failures for the week number 182, as compared with 228 for the corresponding week last year. ——The town of Winslow, in Indiana, was wiped out of existence by fire on the night of the 7th. ——The switchmen on the Illinois railroad have gone on a strike at Freeport, Ill. ——It will take the full official returns to determine the standing of the parties in the Illinois legislature. ——The Alliance captured the governorship and legislature of South Dakota. ——Cheatham's majority in the second district is 1,220. ——The students at Chapel Hill had a Democratic jollification over the Democratic victory. ——The Inter-State Commerce Commission holds a session in Chattanooga this week. ——A handsome fund for the establishment of a Chair of History in the University of North Carolina has been subscribed. ——Two large land companies have been organized in Raleigh. —— A contract for thirteen more miles of the Roanoke & Southern Railroad has been let, stretching from the summit of the Blue Ridge to Roanoke, Va. This will connect the latter city with Winston, N. C. ——A mammoth cotton factory is to be established at Oxford, with a capital stock of $100,000. ——A fight between Lemuel Allen and Julius Tyson, in Ansonville, over Miss Grace Greene, resulted in the death of Tyson. ——A law went into effect in Louisiana requiring the railroad companies to furnish separate cars for white and colored persons. ——W. D. Jones, a physician of Osceola, Ark., shot and killed Dwight McKinney, whom he caught in his wife's bedroom, and then fatally shot his wife.

REV. WALTER S. CREASY

Replies to Rev. Dr. Pritchard's Article on Sam Jones.

Wilmington Messenger.]

There come times in the lives and histories of men and churches when silence ceases to be a virtue. In the humble judgment of the writer one of those times has arrived in the city of Wilmington as regards the preachers, and people called Methodists. Dr. T. H. Pritchard, a man for whom I have had the highest regard, with whom I have labored in the various matters which we believed in common to be for the good of our people, a man whose age, experience, wisdom and position I honor, and to whom I have been and ever shall be ready to give my hand and hearty cooperation in every good word and work, has on three or four different occasions, in the public prints, seen fit to criticise disparagingly our Brother Sam P. Jones to the detriment, as far as his influence extended, of the meeting of the Methodist church in Wilmington. We bore this in silence, choosing rather to suffer wrong than to wragle and perhaps cause some poor sinner to be lost, excusing himself from his duty by saying the Christian ministers did not agree themselves; and had Dr. Pritchard held his peace the past would have been forgotten, and this article would never have been written. But he sees fit to revive the whole matter, to tear open afresh the wound that we hoped was healing. Nay, more, he seems to challenge all who think differently with him to show a reason for their thinking, to which task we now apply ourself.

The Doctor says: "More than a year ago, when it was proposed by a member of the Evangelical Alliance of this city to invite this celebrated evangelist to hold a meeting here, that he *distinctly declared that he could not cooperate with him.* (Italics mine.) He says Dr. Hoge agreed with him, and he *thinks* at least one other member of the Alliance. Now, the Doctor's thinking was not very clear about that other one member. No other member expressed himself opposed to the invitation. The lapse of "more than a year ago" has further beclouded the Doctor's thinking. I was the member who proposed the coming of Brother Jones, and the scenes and words of that day and hour are not easily forgotten by me. Dr. Pritchard did not oppose nor did he advocate his coming. He was mute as to where he stood. Dr. Hoge opposed it and made a talk against it, which of course he had a right to do. The members present on this occasion will bear testimony to this fact. Let me say farther that several months later, about two weeks before Jones came to Charlotte, Dr. Pritchard said to me: "I wish you people would get Jones to come here; I want to hear him." I answered: "We are trying, and will do so as early as possible." The Doctor will not deny this.

He says again: "Let it be remembered that he was invited here by his Methodist brethren (and of course if he has done so much harm as the Doctor claims, we his Methodist brethren are responsible for it. Well, we are not ashamed of the work he did in this city) and not by the Alliance as was Mr. Pearson." The question was sprung in the Alliance and the unanimous decision was that the Alliance did not call Mr. Pearson; they only agreed to cooperate. He was called before the Alliance had a being or even the preacher's meeting. He says again: "And indeed he was called here against the protests of at least two members of the Alliance." Let us see. Whom does he mean? I suppose he means Dr. Hoge and himself. They were the only men who belonged to the Alliance who wrote against Jones. But let us see. He says that the Alliance did not call him; would have nothing to do with him. It was the Methodist brethren, and yet two of the members, according to the Doctor, are protesting against his coming and thus interfering with matters that the Alliance has washed its hands of. But we will apply the Doctor's own rule to this matter. He said on a former occasion when Brother Pearson was invited here, and he was opposed by a minister of this city through the press, that a man who did not belong to the Alliance or who was not engaged in the work ought at least to keep quiet and let the work go on. From his own standpoint I ask the Doctor how he stands toward us in this matter. But let us see. Is it a fact that Jones came here under the protest of at least two members of the Alliance? We shall see, and I will let the "Record Book" of the Evangelical Alliance speak for me on this matter. "May 26th, 1890: Rev. W. S. Creasy stated that by reason of the action of some prominent members of the Evangelical Alliance in opposing in public print the visit of Rev. Sam Jones to Wilmington for the purpose of holding a series of meetings after an invitation had been extended him to do so by the Methodist churches of the city, it became his unpleasant duty to sever his connection with the Evangelical Alliance. Rev. T. H. Pritchard and Rev. P. H. Hoge, whose statement in public prints were specially referred to, not being present, Rev. R. E. Peele suggested that the brethren withhold action in the matter until a meeting in which these two gentlemen should be present. This suggestion was favorably received, and the Alliance adjourned to meet at the call of the president. June 9th, 1890: after the reading of the minutes, the object of the meeting was presented by the president, who stated that the matter under discussion at the last meeting, the resignation of Rev. W. S. Creasy from the Evangelical Alliance, would be discussed. He stated again his reasons for tendering his resignation, which were recorded in the minutes of the previous meeting. (See above.) Rev. P. H. Hoge stated that the expression of opinion had been made by him, unconscious of the fact that the Methodist churches of the city had invited Rev. Sam Jones to hold a meeting in our city, and that had he known this fact he should not have allowed his opinion to have appeared in public print. An extended discussion followed in which each one present participated, which resulted in the following agreement: That the matter should remain *in statu quo* until the close of the meetings of the Rev. Sam Jones in Wilmington under the auspices of the Methodist churches of the city, and that the resignation of the brethren should be withheld until that time, on condition that the brethren whose criticisms have called forth the discussion should attend Mr. Jones's meetings sufficiently to give him a fair hearing."

That is the record. Dr. Hoge did not protest. What did Dr. Pritchard do? He was not at any of those meetings, though when some of them were held he was in or about the city. His brethren of the Alliance seemed sure that he would agree to this, and so they vouched, it would seem from the record, for him. How well he met their expectation the reader must judge. He says he was under no obligations to cooperate with him or to even hear him. (The Alliance, according to the records, thought he was.) He says at the request of the Methodist pastors of the city he went to hear him *twice*. We were glad to see the Doctor at the meeting; he was, is, and always will be welcome at our meetings, but outside of the agreement of the Evangelical Alliance, I knew of no special invitation to the Doctor, as we felt that sufficient. Does he claim that he was invited outside the Alliance agreement? If not, will he claim that he attended the meetings sufficiently to give him a fair hearing? Many who were not pleased for several times hearing were very much pleased when they had heard him oftener. We are not discussing the difference of opinion between the Doctor and Sam Jones on doctrine. It is natural they should not see alike along those lines, belonging to the different denominations they do, but we have worked together and differed in doctrine, and the Doctor might have borne with Uncle Jones as he has with some of his weaker brethren.

He says: "I do not call in question the piety of Sam Jones or impugn his motives." Farther on in his article he says: "As a lecturer he would be superb, and as a boon companion delightful." Let us put these sentences in the scales and weigh them with other utterances of the Doctor's. "When he makes a good hit he pauses to note its effect and twirls his moustache or scratches his head." One would think this was striking at vanity, a motion to gain applause. The Doctor says: "Instead of pointing sin-sick souls to the Savior, to obtrude his own little personality in such flippant slang seems to me little short of sacrilege. He was somewhat less smutty here than in Charlotte, but he said enough in Wilmington to outrage propriety, common *decency* and good morals." Yet he would make a *superb* lecturer and *boon companion*. He says that he "was vilified in some of the papers and private correspondence for styling Sam Jones a *vulgarian* and *blackguard*. After a fuller acquaintance with him I am sorry to say that I cannot withdraw these charges; on the contrary I must *add to them* one still more *serious*, that of *profanity*." (Italics mine.) "Superb lecturer, boon companion." "I do not call in question his piety or impugn his motives." Now, if the Doctor will explain how a man who is all he says Sam Jones is, in the above remarks, can be a delightful boon companion, when a man in his private companionships is expected not to to be quite so precise as when in his public expressions I will be obliged. The Doctor's idea of a boon companion is somewhat different from the writer's. He says: "Mr. Jones was able to benefit several hard cases that the ministers could not reach, but Mr. Pearson many more." And further he says: "I think it is just, however, to consider other agencies in the meeting besides those of Mr. Jones personally, which contributed largely to its results, Mr. Stuart's preaching, several hundred godly men and women who had been praying for weeks, the singing of Excell and Bowden." Granted. But, Doctor, you forget, in your comparison, that there had been no general union meeting in this city for years before Mr. Pearson came, and that his sweeping revival (for which I shall ever thank God and bless Him that I was permitted to work in it) gathered in a large quantity of wheat that was ready for the garner, and a comparatively short while has elapsed since his meeting. The preparation was well-nigh perfect. Seven congregations banded themselves with their seven pastors for the work. There was one month's preaching at the various churches. Prayer-meetings were suspended and everybody followed the preparation meeting. Singing—yes, all the singing talent of the seven congregations, practicing, getting ready and singing when the meeting began. After the meetings for half an hour or an hour *all* the preachers and many laymen and godly women working. Yet Mr. Pearson (and God knows I honor and love him, and would not take one laurel from his brow or star from his crown, if I could) is to have all the honor for what was done in his meeting, but Jones must stand back and let everybody else come for their share first. I do not believe that saintly, godly man, Mr. Pearson himself, would think it a fair comparison.

The Doctor says: "Let it be remembered that he was invited here by his Methodist brethren and not by the Alliance." So the Methodists had to call; they had to build; they had to hold preparatory meetings; they had to assume all responsibility; they had to endure the bitter sarcasms and thrusts of Jones's enemies, and yet his meeting is to be compared with Mr. Pearson's. Let me say here that for every word of encouragement and sympathy, for every dollar, for every voice that helped us sing outside of our Church we are profoundly grateful and shall forever be thankful, but the facts were demanded, since the Doctor has made this comparison.

He says that "on one occasion he turned to the preachers and said: 'You fat, lazy rascals, why were you not here at the early prayer meeting, trying to save souls instead of taking your morning nap?" The Doctor thinks this was terrible and that Jones was assuming the role of dictator. Well, I asked him to speak to the preachers about the early meeting. There were some forty or fifty here, and from three to five out at the early meeting. The preachers felt that he was right and they were wrong, if they were well. They did not complain. Again the Doctor says: "Jones said: 'I expect to be at the judgment, and to hear the excuses of some of the pastors of this city for not helping in this meeting.' The intimation,' the Doctor says, "seemed to be that he not only expected to be at the general judgment, but to be a sort of associate justice with the Almighty in pronouncing sentence, and would enjoy the condemnation of those of us who did not see fit to join in *his* meeting. (The doctor forgets that it is to be remembered that the Methodists called him. It was a Methodist meeting led by Sam Jones.) Such arrogance would be unbecoming in the Apostle Paul, much more in Sam Jones." Well, Paul said some very positive and wonderful things about the future as well as the past. Does not Brother Jones have a right to expect, if he keeps right and does right (and the Doctor does not call in question his piety or impugn his motives), that he shall sit upon a throne and judge in his Master's kingdom, Luke xxii, 30: "That ye may eat and drink at My table in My kingdom, and sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel." The book gives him a right to expect it; but the Doctor seems to be in a hurry to get a seat on the judgment throne before Uncle Jones, does not wait for the last day, but declares that he believes the sentiment of the *best Christian* people of the State are *with him.* (Italics mine.) It is not for me to say. I will not judge whether the vast throng of from six to seven thousand who were at the tabernacle on the last night of the meeting are among the best christian people of the State. Be that as it may, when called upon to say by standing up whether they felt or believed that Sam Jones's visit and preaching in Wilmington had in any way harmed or demoralized a single soul, not *one* in all that crowd stood up. When asked if they felt that his visit and preaching had been a blessing and help, to stand up, the vast crowd, so far as I could see, with barely two exceptions, stood up and seemed glad of the privilege. There might have been more than two who did not stand, but I did not see them, and I looked closely. I have seen quite a number of those whom I at least take to be among the best Christian people of the State who are not with the doctor in criticisms of Sam Jones.

The Doctor says: "He called some of the most respectable gentlemen of Wilmington, 'Pusillanimous polecats of hell,' and further, of some of our citizens he said, 'if a buzzard should get scent of them, he would fly straight up half a mile to get away from the smell.'" Well, Doctor, these last you say are *some* of our citizens, not some of the most respectable citizens of Wilmington. Well, if you had heard the class he was talking about, you would have thought the old bird would be trying his wings in the upper atmosphere. But, Doctor, you were not there when the term was applied to the *most respectable* citizens of Wilmington. Doctor, you did not hear the character of those men, who they were, where they went, their lives. If you had, you would never again think of coupling their names with the most respectable citizens of Wilmington. Hundreds can tell you the characters referred to.

The Doctor says: "There is a strife here," and he charges it upon the pulpit manners of Sam Jones. "This," he says, "is the only issue he makes with him and his friends." If any one should say: "Creasy, why did you write?" I answer: "Dr. Pritchard made an issue with Sam Jones and his friends, and I am glad of the privilege of being called the friend of Sam P. Jones." That issue was his pulpit manners. Dr. Pritchard virtually says that we, the Methodist preachers who have heard and invited Jones before he came, and have heard him since he came, and still endorse him, know nothing of pulpit manners or, if we do, we run with reckless carelessness on to our own destruction, as the storm he acknowledges to have had a part in raising shall so transform us "that the skies will be clearer and the water purer." Ah, Doctor, you are hard on us, but we trust "Him who hath been our shield and salvation." Doctor, the issue I make is that it was not the pulpit manners of Sam Jones (why have they not torn other towns like ours?) but the opposition before he came, the bitterness while he was here and the relentless, persistent attacks upon everything about him that seems to savor of impropriety, while the great amount of good he has done is overlooked and forgotten, and, this too, by those who are sworn followers of Christ the Lord. The Doctor cites a case or two where children have been reproved by their parents for using what he terms Sam Jones's slang. Why did he not tell as of the great change wrought in hundreds of our people on the use of profane language, the great work in the Wilmington & Weldon car shops, of the forty or fifty young men who banded themselves together and promised to quit swearing, of the many who have joined the different churches of the city and throughout the State, of the many backslidden members that have been reclaimed, of the homes in this city made happy by the husbands stopping drink—names that can be given, short sales in bar-rooms and saloons, men depositing money in bank, white and colored, who never did so before, money saved where they once drank it up? Ah, Doctor, you have not been looking for the good done, I am afraid. Many a poor heart has said to me: "The good Sam Jones has done by coming to Wilmington will not be known till the Judgment."

The Doctor uses Dr. Primrose to prove that Sam Jones is profane. He quotes the phrases used by Dr. Primrose in his conversation with Jones, and then that Jones said, "Brother Primrose, I appreciate this more than anything that has happened. You are right and I am wrong. I was thoughtless, and by God's help I will stop it." There Dr. Pritchard stops. The meaning of Dr. Primrose, grand, true, kind, was lost, covered up. Dr. Primrose said, "After that no man need tell me that Sam Jones is not a good Christian, and for this reason it was with the utmost cordiality I grasped his hand, and closed my brief remarks with these words: 'As a brother in Christ I give you my hand.'" Dr. Primrose was not trying to conviet of blasphemy, but to show the great heart and character. Ah, Doctor, to have been fair with Dr. Primrose and Jones you should have given the context, but it was against you.

Now let us see the witnesses he brings against Jones in every way, pulpit manners and all. In a former article he brings Mr. Joe Caldwell, of the Statesville *Landmark*. He calls no names in this article except that of Dr. Paul Whitehead, of the Virginia Conference. Well, well, Doctor! Did you have to go clear over to Virginia to find a preacher you could name against him (and then only one), while he within the past twelve months has preached in Danville, Richmond, Lynchburg, Norfolk? If his manners are ruining everybody and everything, why don't more of the preachers say so? The Doctor says: "I know one of the most distinguished of the young preachers of the Methodist Church, lately a popular pastor in Wilmington, N. C., proposes, at an early day, to publish strictures in the *Christian Advocate* on the pulpit manners of Sam Jones." It is fair to infer from all the marks he gives us, although he mentions no names, that he refers to Brother D. H. Tuttle now of Wilson. Well, Brother Tuttle seemed mightily pleased with the meeting when he was here, told me that he enjoyed it very much indeed, preached with much power, and appeared to be fully in the spirit of the meeting. I heard not one word of criticism. He was with Brother Jones. If he had anything against him he did not do like Dr. Primrose—go to Uncle Jones, tell him about it, and receive his thanks, if it was done in the proper spirit. But, somehow, when Uncle Jones gets clear away, out of reach, we do say and write things which we do not when he is about. Brother Tuttle, or any other brother, has a right to say and write what he chooses in this free country, and that is what this brother is trying to do now.

Let us examine a few witnesses on the other side: Bishops Galloway, Haygood, Hendrix, Fitzgerald, Hargrove and Key, all stand by and endorse him; Talmage, Moody and—shall I say it?—yes, Dr. R. G. Pearson have precisely the same views of Jones that Dr. Primrose advances in his sermon on Sam Jones; and his pure, good wife, whom the people of Wilmington love so much, is ready, after hearing him for three weeks, to fully endorse the sermon of Dr. Primrose. What shall I say of Dr. Dickinson, of Virginia (I reckon he'll tie off Dr. Pritchard), and Hawthorne, of Georgia, both eminent Baptist divines? But why pursue the list? Sam Jones numbers his brethren all over the country, and his friends by the thousands, and the signs which attend a man of God are following him, to wit: the conversion of many, many souls.

A word or two more, and I am done. The Doctor says he was asked by one of the city editors to give his opinion of the man in his journal, but he preferred to wait for the columns of the journal for which he wrote regularly. The Doctor then asked, as I am informed, that it be copied into a Wilmington paper. The Doctor has forced the issue upon us—at our doors, in our homes, in our churches. None but cowards quail when the Lord leads. We promised at the altar not to shirk. The Doctor has thrown down the gauntlet, and we must pick it up. He, with strength, age, wisdom, experience, all surpassing ours, may be Goliath; but, with the trust in God to lead, help and defend, we will try to be David, without any harness from Saul, but in the strength of the Lord of Hosts lead our people in the right way. It is queer that the Doctor should take an organ devoted to the interests of orphans, to criticise and stab a man in, whose life is devoted to that cause—a man whose heart is ever warm and tender toward those helpless ones; who gives food, shelter, clothes and education to sixty of those helpless ones. *Charity and Children*, you had a queer, strange paint on your face when you went out to ask help for orphans, and were trampling in the dust one of the very best friends they ever had.

Now, Doctor, the way matters stand I don't know what about the Alliance, but let me tell you, I have not forgotten the lesson it *impressed* upon me; I had learned it before, but you know we promised not to patronize the Sunday paper. Others could do so, if they wished, but we were to be free. I was sorry when the *Messenger* stated on Saturday that you would appear on Sunday. You may get more readers than I, but I prefer to follow the teachings and good impression made among my brethren and around my mother's knee.

And now, Doctor, you say in conclusion, you *knew* you were right and should not fear to speak. I will not go that far, but will say that I feel I am right. My judgment says I am right, and with the case as submitted I leave it for the reader to decide. And now, my brother, I have calmly and dispassionately reviewed your article. God knows whether there is anything in my heart against you. He knows there is not, and I shall meet this statement at the Judgment. I am ready to join with you and all my brethren in every good work as I have always done. God bless and save the people of "the city by the sea."

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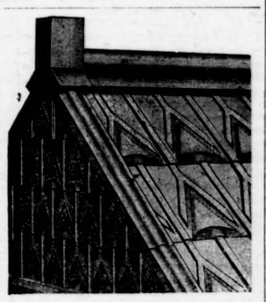

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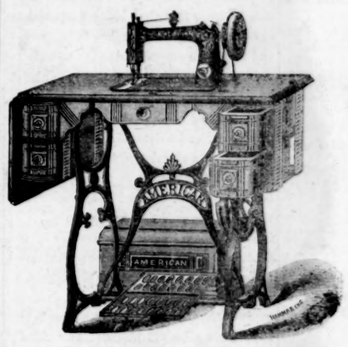

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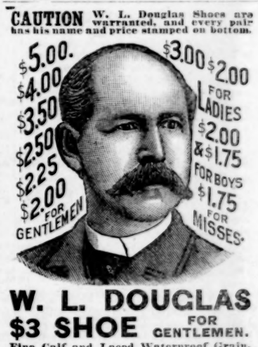

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THURSDAY.....NOVEMBER 13, 1890.

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Nebraska Democratic!
New Hampshire Democratic!
New Jersey Democratic!
New York Democratic!
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South Carolina Democratic!
Tennessee Democratic!
Texas Democratic!
Virginia Democratic!
West Virginia Democratic!
Wisconsin Democratic!

A grand total of 32 out of the 42 States in the Union Democratic! Such a victory finds no parallel in the history of the world from the inauguration of George Washington, one hundred years ago, down to the present time.

Hail Columbia,
Happy land!

A glance at some of the Democratic gains in the West and North may prove interesting at this juncture. For instance, Illinois, that sent only six Democrats to the House heretofore, now sends twleve to the 52nd Congress; Indiana, that sent ten out of thirteen in 1888, sends eleven this time; Iowa, with only one Democratic member of the last Congress, sends six to the next; Kansas, with a solid Republican delegation in 1888, now sends six Democrats and one Republican to the 52nd Congress; Massachusetts, with only two Democrats in the last Congress, elected six this year; Michigan, with only one Democrat in the last Congress, now sends six; Minnesota elects three Democrats to the 52nd Congress out of five heretofore Republican; Nebraska breaks her solid Republican delegation in Congress and sends three Democrats out of three members; New Hampshire never does anything by halves, and transfers her solid Republican delegation in Congress to the united Democracy; New Jersey follows close upon New Hampshire's heels, and instead of three heretofore, now sends five Democrats out of a total of seven; New York changes her fifteen Democrats to twenty-one; Ohio changes from five to fourteen Democratic members of the House; Wisconsin, with only one Democrat in 1888, now steps to the front with seven to two Republicans; while the Southern States, be it said to their credit and everlasting glory, only send four Republicans to the next Congress out of 121 members.

The Democracy don't need the remainder till 1892, when we will sweep the country from Maine to Mexico.

Another fact worthy of mention is that of the total number of Republicans who voted for the Lodge Force Bill and the McKinley Tariff Bill, 87 were defeated for re-election this year.

McKinley, of McKinley Bill fame, was defeated by a majority of 243—there is no doubt about this,

CUMBERLAND.

We publish elsewhere to-day a tabulated statement of the vote of Cumberland this year for the county officers and the major part of the State officers. To the unterrified Democracy of old Cumberland it will be received with mingled pride and pleasure, while to the Republicans it carries consternation to their ranks and gloom to the entire wigwam. The campaign was in many respects a remarkable one, but most admirably conducted, and to Mr. H. L. Cook, the Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee, much praise is due and to his associates as well. Nothing was left undone for the advancement of the cause of Democracy, and those in charge proved themselves worthy the trust reposed in them. The vote shows, moreover, that the OBSERVER's prediction immediately after the convention last summer, that the people made no mistake in the selection of their candidates, has been carried out by such majorities as no man has ever been able to boast of before in the history of Cumberland—majorities that are proof positive of the truth of our assertion.

With a clear majority of 1,849 for Hon. T. H. Sutton over Carver, the regular Republican, and 1,757 over Buie, Independent, and a majority of 1,800 over Carver and 1,724 over Buie for that gallant little Scotchman from Seventy-First, A. D. McGill, for the Legislature, and majorities ranging from 1,500 to 1,800 all round, we say Cumberland is justly entitled to the banner so long held by Catawba for being the banner Democratic county in the State. Hon. T. H. Sutton, who lead the ticket this year, we hope to see rewarded with the next Speakership of the House.

Cumberland is not only the banner Democratic county, but the Third district is the banner Democratic district, having given Grady, Domocrat, for Congress, about 7,963 majority over Scurlock, Republican.

FORGING TO THE FRONT.

The OBSERVER is ever forging to the front. It takes no step backward. Upward and onward is the watchword of the future. The month of October just passed was a bright page as well as a prosperous one for the OBSERVER, as we have enrolled during that time 109 new readers to our already large list of subscribers. Happy and fortunate are we indeed to be able to say the good work goes thundering along. The wheels of the machinery will ever be kept greased with push, pluck and perseverance, and a determination to be able to boast of a circulation before the end of another year second to no paper in the State, secular or otherwise, and we "yield the palm" to exceedingly few to-day. It is our purpose to put a canvasser in the field at once, and leave no wheel unturned for a speedy realization of the object in view. For the strong letters of endorsement of the OBSERVER from its friends and supporters all over the State as a family newspaper and as an unwavering and fearless champion of Democracy as well, we are profoundly thankful. These little words may count little in the eye of some, but to us they speak volumes, and will ever strengthen us for the fight and nerve us to press forward. Experience has taught us that, our part well and faithfully done, we need not fear the verdict of the people. True merit is never without its just reward. For the upbuilding of Fayetteville, by making known to the world our progress, resources, advantages and attractions, we shall labor unceasingly, as well as for the county in which we circulate the most largely.

Bennettsville Items.

For the Observer.]

BENNETTSVILLE, S. C., Nov. 12, '90.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The Cumberland boys here are rejoicing over the result in old Cumberland. North Carolina will not have two better men in the Legislature than Sutton and McGill. Sutton ought to be the next Speaker, as he is one of the most brilliant men in North Carolina.

The election passed off very quietly here, very few of the negroes voting. They say they are getting along well enough without it.

Bennettsville is, I believe, the only *totally* prohibition town in America. In most prohibition places one can get a drink for the money, but not so here, and even to jug or express it here has been stopped by the town council, and the express company has agreed to abide by it.

The Charleston, Sumter & Northern Railroad is flourishing; the grading will soon be completed to Pee Dee River, and the iron is laid to near Dalby City, the first station, and the iron force went Friday last to Sumter, where they will lay, within the next thirty days, from Sumter to Darlington.

Dalby City, the first station, will be one of the prettiest towns on the whole line, situated at the famous Red Hill, which overlooks the Pee Dee Valley, of Indian camp fame. The site of the old camp is still visible, with lots of old Indian relics. There are two stores at Dalby City, besides the railroad camp and cross-tie cutters' camp, and several other houses will go up this week. There was quite a village before the railroad came, which was called Reynolds Cross Roads, but was changed to Dalby City in honor of Capt. M. L. Dalby, our much-loved and respected general manager of construction.

The farmers all say here that they have made the finest crops this year they have made in ten years, and from the amount of cotton brought here I believe it is so.

The new railroad iron bridge across Pee Dee River is rapidly being built by the Phœnix Bridge Company, and soon the iron horse will give a direct line from Fayetteville to Charleston, and also give a direct Southern route—a thing Fayetteville has so long needed.

The C. F. & Y. V. ought long ago to have built this line, as it traverses three of the best counties in South Carolina—Marlboro, Darlington and Sumter. The C. F. & Y. V. also needs the Fayetteville & Albermarle Railroad to connect with its Wilmington extension; there is not a railroad in the South under better manage ment than the C. F. & Y. V. Its officials are gentlemen who delight in serving the public politely and pleasantly. Long may it live and prosper! J. N. G.

Duplin Notes.

For the Observer.]

KENANSVILLE, N. C., Nov. 8, '90.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The slowness with which the official count was brought in from the different voting precincts precluded the possibility of our informing you by wire that Duplin, as her sister, Cumberland, had covered herself with glory by giving on last Tuesday to Democracy unprecedented majorities.

The entire ticket was elected, Capt. J. G. Kenan, Sheriff, leading with a vote of 2,167.

The Republicans had no county ticket in the field. Mr. Grady received 1,974 votes; Scurlock 727. Duplin rejoices at the overwhelming majorities given to her honored son by the different counties.

We have found time from scholastic duties to walk over the stock farm of Mr. David Farrior, with whom those wi-hing to purchase or sell fine stock would do well to correspond.

Prof. Shaw's model farm proves that although he is a specialist as a teacher, a.d at the same time a useful preacher, he could nevertheless shine in the agricultural world.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Watson and little son, of Wilmington, spent some time with their mother, Mrs. Watson, who is still quite sick.

Mrs. Dr. Street, of New Berne, is visiting her father, R. J. Kornegay, Esq.

Miss Annie Broadhurst is teaching at Bowden Statio ; Miss Maud opens school Monday at Sarecta.

Mrs. Henry Yates Moore, who has been on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Brown, returns Monday to Goldsboro.

The following is about the full vote of Duplin county: Judges, Democratic, 1,907 to 1,970; Judges, Republicans, 742; Allen, Solicitor, 1,957; Grady, 1,974; Scurlock, 727; Bryan, State Senate, 1,928; Aycock, State Senate, 1,966; Middleton, House, 1,960; Kenan, Sheriff, 2,167; Gavin, C. S. C., 1,800; Hargraves, C. S. C., 383; Wells, 2,072; Arminius Johnson, Coroner, 2,071; McMillan, Surveyor, 2,071.

Mr. Hargraves was not a candidate, but his friends gave him a complementary vote.

Epidemic at Red Springs, Too.

Our clever Red Springs neighbors are frequently indebted to the superior age, size and experience of Fayetteville in guiding them in the right way, and in nothing do they more thoroughly show their good sense in acceptin z us as exemplars than in weeding out the bachelors, throwing the bridal veil over the charms of the spinsters, and planting flowers in the fruitful field of connubial felicity. They burn incense on Hymen's altar with almost our own constancy; and one of the prettiest marriage ceremonies that the people of Red Springs have witnessed in a long time was that which—in the Presbyterian Church on the morning of the 5th inst., Rev. J. M. Clark officiating, with Mr. Chovine Sprott and Miss Jessie McLean attendants, and Dr. A. Mack and Messrs. A. T. McCallum, A. A. McEachern and J. G. Williams as ushers—joined together Mr. Joseph Sprott, Jr., Cashier of the Bank of Manning, S. C., and Miss Josie H. McLean, the attractive and piquant daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Jesse R. McLean, who resided in Fayetteville for years, and have many friends here, though, if we mistake not, the bride is a native of Greensboro. Mendelssohn's majestic Wedding March was beautifully rendered by the accomplished organist, Miss Mamie McMillan.

Personal Penclings.

Miss Mary Bristow, of Clio, S. C., is visiting Miss Nettie A. Johnson.

Miss Anna V. Gentry, of Walnut Cove, is making a visit to Miss Maggie Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Jessup, of Greensboro, are visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mrs. McGary, of Durham, is making a visit to her sister, Mrs. Whitehead, on Cool Spring street.

Rev. W. B. Oliver left on Tuesday to attend the Annual Convention of the Baptist church at Shelby.

Rev. T. L. Troy, long a resident of this city, is making a brief stay with his brother, Mr. Jno. B. Troy.

Mr. E. P. Sikes, who has troops of old army and other friends here, is visiting Fayetteville during the Fair.

Maj. Jno. N. Prior, of the well-known jewelry house of W. Prior & Son, has returned from a business trip North.

Mr. W. W. McDiarmid, editor of our excellent contemporary, the *Robesonian*, is one of our welcome visitors to the fair.

Mr. Jno. M. Garrason, now living at Wichita Falls, Tex., is visiting friends and relatives in Fayetteville—looking very well.

Miss Minnie Bryan, of New Berne, a great favorite in this city, is the guest of Maj. and Mrs. Jno. B. Broadfoot, on Haymount.

Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Moody, of Rockland, Me., are visiting Mrs. Moody's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Worth, on Haymount.

Mrs. B. Fuller, of Durham, and her granddaughter, Miss Meenie Southgate, are paying a visit to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Huske, on Dick Street.

Brother Covington, of the *Farmer and Scottish Chief*—too well-known and esteemed in Fayetteville to need an introduction—is enjoying the Cumberland Fair.

Mr. Jas. H. Benton, long a worker in the "art preservative," now residing at Red Springs, made a visit of a day or two to his old home this week, but was unable to remain to enjoy the fair.

Manchester Cullings.

For the Observer.]

Fox hunters marched solemnly on last Monday for their comfortable quarters at the a la shelter. Love, the King, are synonyms of nobility, that Brooks naught but admiration. The weather is too favorable for Snow. Mr. Nelson brought a Schenk with him.

Manchester Mills Company has new machinery spinning away the dust of nonsuccess. Many wheels of fortune are lapping away all accumulated doubts, and yarns of superior quality are supplying the yarn-loving many. With two of the most enterprising, honest proprietors that our old North State affords and a good Superintendent, this factory has a bright future.

The fine water power near here is a great inducement for manufacturers. It would pay some capitalist to inspect our resources. Hints of negotiations for a certain good site for a factory have already been floating around.

Mrs. R. S. West returned home from a visit to her many friends in Harnett quite sick.

Miss L. G. Murchison has returned to Wilmington. Mr. and Mrs. D. Fairley attended Synod. Miss Hennie Mason has gone on a visit to Harnett.

"John Sullivan" ran away with Mr. and Mrs. Kent and a dog-cart.

Mr. E. E. Brantly and Mr. Seth Brantly spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. George Robinson has returned to her old home to live.

Mr. Egbert Pearce has had the pleasure of entertaining his sister, Mrs. Klarpp, for a few days.

Drummers are giving us a rest.

BON AMI.

Big Travel Coming South.

Wilmington Star.]

Railroad men North and South are expecting a heavy tourist travel South this winter. The Atlantic Coast Line, as usual, will offer every accommodation to the traveling public, and very low excursion rates will be given from New York and other points to Florida. The Coast Line is now running four daily through trains with cars through from New York without change. The Pullman vestibule train from New York to Florida will be put on January 19, which is about the time the heavy tourist travel from the North begins, the travel being heaviest just before and just after Lent. This train is composed of Pullman cars only. The vestibule train will run tri-weekly at first, and will be increased to daily if the travel warrants it.

Recent developments point to a new class of winter travel for the South this year. The reports of cholera in the East will turn aside from that direction the large numbers of European travellers who yearly visit India and the warmer climes of that portion of the globe. Florida has attracted considerable attention in England and Europe as a winter resort, and the indications are that there will be a movement of the European travel toward that portion of the country. This will bring a profitable and very desirable class of travel.

A SEASONABLE LOCAL.

If you haven't already done so, you had better prepare now with Underwear for winter use. We solicit your examination of our stock, which has just been opened out, comprising Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's wear in all grades. There are some new and sensible styles in this season's production, and we show complete lines in all of them. These goods will certainly advance in price in a very short time. FRANK THORNTON.

DRESS FABRICS.

Some very handsome styles just received in West of England Tweeds, Scotch Clan Plaids, Homespuns, Scotch Skirtings, Cachemere d'Ecasse and Camel's Hair for street wear. Nun's Veiling, Albatross and Henriettas in light shades for evening wear. A remarkably handsome assortment. FRANK THORNTON.

NELLIE BLY

Caps, the latest thing out for head covering; we have just received a large lot. See them if you wish a Cap. Also a very beautiful assortment of Hoods, and Cloth and Fur-lined Wool Caps for infants and children, and Novelties in Wool Sacks for infants and children. Everything mentioned above is entirely new, and just out. FRANK THORNTON.

GRATIFYING TO ALL.

The high position attained by and the universal acceptance and approval of the pleasant liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, as the most excellent laxative known, illustrate the value of the qualities on which its success is based, and are abundantly gratifying to the California Fig Syrup Company.

TEN CENTS.

We have a job lot of Children's Hose consisting of 5,000 pairs, the original price of some of them 40c., 50c. and 60c. They are a little off in style, but first class value at 10c., which we now offer them at. FRANK THORNTON.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

For Sale by B. E. Sedberry, & Son, Fayetteville, N. C.

A BOON TO THE SICK.

Dr. King's Royal Germetuer is endorsed by Rev. J. B. Hawthorne, pastor First Baptist Church, Atlanta, Ga., who says: "It is a great remedy." Rev. Sam P. Jones says: "I wish every poor suffering wife had access to that medicine." Thousands of others attest its virtues. Fifty gallons are drunk in Atlanta daily, where it is performing remarkable cures. It removes the cause of disease and builds up from the first dose. Send stamp for full particulars, certificates of wonderful cures, etc., to King's Royal Germetuer Co., Atlanta, Ga. IT CURES WHEN ALL ELSE FAILS. Price, $1.50 per concentrated bottle, which makes one gallon of medicine as per directions accompanying each bottle. Can be sent by express C. O. D. if your druggist cannot supply you.

One fact is worth a thousand arguments, and Dr. King's Royal Germetuer demonstrates every day that it is making more cures than any other medical preparation in the world.

A daughter of Mr. C. Jordan, of Atlanta, was cured of a serious case of stomach and bowel troubles.

Mr. N. T. Johnson, of Atlanta, was cured of a long continued and severe case of catarrh which was sapping his life away.

Mrs. M. Farmer, of West End, Atlanta, was completely cured of a ten years' case of inflammatory rheumatism.

Rev. A. R. Vaughn, Canton, Ga., was cured of facial neuralgia, also of a liver and kidney trouble of many years standing.

Mrs. T. S. Polot, of Atlanta, had been an invalid 14 years, but derived great benefit.

Mrs. W. F. Herndon, Atlanta, Ga., suffered with acute catarrh. One bottle of Germetuer freed her from this dreadful disease.

A daughter of F. T. Brostus, of Atlanta, had tried every known remedy for aggravated dyspepsia. Two bottles of Germetuer cured her.

Mr. Lewis Bennett, Atlanta, Ga., had been afflicted with indigestion for 20 years, complicated with diarrhœa. Three-fourths of a bottle cured him sound and well.

Thousands of voluntary certificates testify to the remarkable curative virtues of Royal Germetuer. It builds up at once, woos "nature's soft nurse"—refreshing sleep, stimulates the appetite, aids digestion, soothes the nerves and insures good health. For weak women, dressmakers, housekeepers, milliners, stenographers, housewives, etc., it is the non-pareil of all remedies. As a blood purifier and an invigorating tonic it is without a rival. It is as pleasant to take as lemonade without sugar; is a scientific discovery, and cures diseases by removing the cause. Price, $1.50 per concentrated bottle, which will make one gallon of medicine, as per accompanying directions. Send stamp for full particulars, wonderful cures, etc.

For sale by druggists and by KING'S ROYAL GERMETUER CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

FAYETTEVILLE MARKET.

N. C. BACON—		FODDER,	75
Hog Round,	10	HIDES—	
Sides,	9	Flint—good,	6
Hams,	15	Flint—damaged,	5
WEST. BULK MEATS—		Dry Salt,	7
Sides,	6½	Green,	3
Shoulders,	6½	IRON—	
WESTERN BACON—		American,	3
Sides,	6½	Swedes,	5@6
Hams,	15	LARD—	
Shoulders,	6½@8	N. Carolina,	10
BAGGING,	7½@8	Western,	9
BEEF—		LEATHER—	
On foot,	3	Upper, country,	35@40
Dressed,	5@6	Sole, Hemlock,	25@27
BEESWAX,	18	Harness, c'ntry,	25@30
BUTTER—		MOLASSES,	25@40
North Carolina,	20@25	NAILS—	
Northern,	25@35	(12d basis),	2.60
COFFEE—		PORK—	
Java,	30	Fresh,	5@6
Rio,	22½@25	Mess,	(None.)
COTTON YARN,	85@95	POTATOES—	
COTTON TIES,	90	Sweet—new,	65
CHICKENS,	15@20	Irish—o	1.00
EGGS	17½	SALT,	95
FLOUR—		SUGARS—	
N. C. Family,	3.50	Coffee,	7
" " Fam.,	5.50@6.00	Granulated,	9
CORN MEAL—	75	SHEATHINGS,	5½
GRAIN—		SHUCKS,	45
Corn—new,	70	TALLOW,	5
Oats,	55	WOOL,	18
Rye,	90	SPIRITS—	
Peas,	75	Corn Whisky,	1.75@2.00
HAY—		Rye Whisky,	1.75@2.00
N. Carolina,	40@60	Ap. Brandy,	1.75@3.00
Northern,	1 00	Peh Brandy,	1.75@3.00

Fayetteville Cotton and Naval Stores Market

Corrected by A. E. Rankin & Co.

Good Middling	9½
Middling	9
Strict Low Middling	9¼
Turpentine, $2.20 to $2.45 per barrel	
NAVAL STORES.—Spirits 36 cents	
Rosin was steady, prices ranging from 85 to 90 for common.	

Wilmington Market.

WILMINGTON, N. C. Nov. 11.

COTTON.—Cotton steady, with sales on a basis of 9 cents for Middling.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market steady at 37½ cents per gallon.

TAR—Firm $1.55.

ROSIN.—The market quoted firm at $1.10 per bbl. for Strained and $1.15 cents for Good Strained.

TURPENTINE (Crude) Distillers quote the market firm at $1.90 for Virgin, $1.90 for Yellow Dip and 1.20 for Hard.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

R. M. NIMOCKS,

Wholesale :-: Grocer

—AND—

Buyer of Cotton AND Naval Stores.

Consignments and Orders Solicited.

Offers to the Trade a large and well selected stock of

Heavy Groceries and General Farming Supplies.

Buys always from first hands, and sells as low as reliable goods can be sold, and cordially solicits your custom. Prices mailed on application.

Not specially "Headquarters" or "Leaders," in the sense generally advertised, but second to NONE in purchases or sales of goods in his line.

The Old Reliable Tennessee Wagons and Carts ALWAYS FOR SALE.

GIVE US A CALL WHEN IN TOWN, AND WE GUARANTEE TO PLEASE YOU.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

LIVERY, SALES, FEED

—AND—

EXCHANGE STABLES.

The public will take notice that my

LIVERY STABLES

are now supplied with first-class

Teams and Stylish Buggies,

and I am better prepared than ever to serve you. Fine stock always on hand and for sale. Mr. ALEX. BOWLES, a reliable hostler, is with me, and customers may rest assured that their stock will be carefully looked after while in my stables.

Respectfully, JOHN LAMBETH.

Oct. 16, 1890. tf

Castoria

For Infants and Children.

Castoria promotes Digestion, and overcomes Flatulency, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhœa, and Feverishness. Thus the child is rendered healthy and its sleep natural. Castoria contains no Morphine or other narcotic property.

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. ARCHER, M. D., 111 South Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

"I use Castoria in my practice, and find it specially adapted to affections of children." ALEX. ROBERTSON, M. D., 1057 3d Ave., New York.

"From personal knowledge and observation I can say that Castoria is an excellent medicine for children, acting as a laxative and relieving the pent up bowels and general system very much. Many mothers have told me of its excellent effect upon their children." DR. G. C. OSGOOD, Lowell, Mass.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 Murray Street, N. Y.

JAMES H. JOHNSON,

TO THE PEOPLE:

I AM NOW SELLING GOODS AT

HOPE MILLS,

CHEAPER THAN THEY HAVE EVER BEEN SOLD BEFORE,

and the people show they appreciate the same by their actions; they know a good thing when they see it; they know who will give good weight and who won't; they know who have regulated the prices at Hope Mills for seven consecutive years; they know the difference between the present and the sad past, when no opposition was known, and prices were so overbearing; they know that money saved is money made; they know where to go to get what they want and as they want it they know where they are most kindly treated and get the most for the money; they know that I keep constantly on hand the best stock of

DRY GOODS,

Groceries, Hardware,

TIN-WARE, NOTIONS, &c., &c., &c.,

both at my store near the Railroad and the store known as the Cameron stand that is kept at HOPE MILLS. I also keep

FRESH MEATS

always on hand, and will pay highest prices for beef on the hoof. At all events, see my stock of everything before purchasing.

Oct. 23, 1890. 2m

WORTH & WORTH,

WILMINGTON, N. C.,

Importers of Genuine Cuba Molasses.

Wholesale Dealers in Groceries, Provisions, Salt, Lime, Cement and Farm Supplies.

Offer at all times a complete stock of Groceries, Provisions and Staple Supplies of every description, of the Best Quality and at the Lowest Prices. All goods shipped and fully guaranteed as to quality and price. March 13, 1890—tf

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having taken out letters of administration upon the estate of J. H. Roberts, deceased, notifies all persons having claims against his estate to present them for payment within the time required by law, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. Persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate payment.

J. H. ROBERTS, JR., Administrator of J. H. Roberts.

Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 23, 1890. 6t

Fresh Meats.

The public will take notice—and act accordingly—that I have opened up a MEAT STALL in the south west corner of the Market House, where I am prepared to serve my old customers, and the new ones as well, with Fresh Meats of all kinds, Fish, Game, &c., all the year round.

Another car load of Fat Mountain Beef to arrive Wednesday or Thursday morning.

Oct. 16, 1890. N. INGRAM. 1m

R. W. HICKS,

WHOLESALE GROCER,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Bacon, Lard, Flour, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Case Goods, Canned Goods, Cakes, Crackers, Tobacco, Snuff, Segars, Cheroots, Nails, Hoop Iron, Glue, Bangs Hay, Corn, Oats, Meal, Grits, Baking Powders, Butter, Cheese, Candy, Starch, Salt, Hams, Vinegar, Shot, Powder, Caps, Buckets, Brooms, Twine, Peanuts, Nutmegs, Spices, Ladies' Favorite Flour. March 13, 1890—1y

PARK HOUSE,

OPPOSITE C. F. & Y. V. DEPOT,

Three minutes walk from A. C. L. Depot.

BEST LOCATION IN THE CITY.

Cuisine and Service Unexcelled. Open Fire Places. Reasonable Rates.

Will open on the 11th a Restaurant and Cafe with Oysters on half shell and to order, served from 7 A. M. to 2 A. M.

Special attention to the country trade.

Mrs. T. G. HALL, Proprietress.

Oct. 9, 1890. 3m

Sunnyside (Floral) Nursery,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

The invoice of our annual importation of HYACINTHS and other Dutch Bulbs has arrived and we are expecting the Bulbs every day. Please send in your orders, which will be filled in rotation.

We can fill all orders for CHOICE EVERGREENS, ROSES and Green House Plants. Cut Flowers always on hand at short notice. Pure white stuffed doves for funerals. JAMES M. LAMB.

Oct. 16, 1890. tf

THE MOST ELEGANT AND COMPLETE

—LINE OF—

Millinery and Notions

which I have ever had in store I offer to my patrons this season. In STYLE, QUALITY and BEAUTY my selections cannot be surpassed, of which I ask an examination, confident that my goods cannot fail to please.

Mrs. Linebery—so well-known to the ladies of Fayetteville and all this section for her faultless taste and skill in all matters of feminine adornment—is with me this season, and extends to all her friends a cordial invitation to call and see us.

MRS. JNO. SHAW.

Oct. 2, 1890—tf

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having qualified as administrator of the estate of Kemion Phillips, deceased, hereby gives notice to all parties having claims against said estate to present them on or before October 16, 1890, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted are requested to settle.

GEO. M. ROSE, Administrator.

Oct 16-6t.

Grates for Coal and Wood.

I have on hand and am constantly making grates for fire-places for burning wood, coal or coke. They are cheaper than they have ever been sold here before—$2.75 is all I ask for them.

J. N. EMMITT, Founder and Wool Carder, Fayetteville, N. C.

Oct. 30, 1890. 3m

ANNCUNCEMENT.

MRS. E. G. SPENCER, with grateful acknowledgment of the liberal patronage with which her friends have rewarded her efforts in the past, desires to announce to the lovers of the

Elegant and Beautiful

in fall and winter displays of

STYLISH MILLINERY

that her present stock far surpasses anything she has previously had in store, and the ladies will find everything to meet their wants in HATS, BONNETS, TRIMMINGS, NOTIONS, &c., in her assortment.

MISS LIDA E. WRIGHT who has spent some time in the workrooms of fashionable *modistes* of New York, will be with her hereafter, and Miss Wright's faultless taste and intimate acquaintance with the needs of customers is a guarantee of unqualified satisfaction. Oct. 16, 1890—tf

Now Receiving Seasonable Goods,

—SUCH AS—

Raisins, Currants, Citron, Figs, &c.

We invite custom for goods in stock and to arrive. All are cordially invited to see our goods. Those who have not already placed their orders with us for SAUSAGE and OYSTERS we will be pleased to have do so. Transient or regular orders solicited.

Bear in mind, Terms Cash—not 30 days.

A. S. HUSKE, Ag't.

Oct. 30, 1890.

Coal! Coal!

COAL!

Anthracite and Bituminous

Egg and Nut,

IN ANY QUANTITY.

For sale by C. E. PEARCE.

☞ Leave orders at McMillan Bro.'s Store.

Oct. 30, 1890. tf

Tax Notice.

The Tax Books for the year 1890 are now in my hands for collection. All persons are notified to come forward and make immediate settlement. I am determined to collect them without delay, without regard to persons.

J. B. SMITH, Sheriff
Sept. 4, 1890.—tf] Cumberland county.

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,

Importers and Jobbers.

Our Hardware Department comprises an immense stock of General Hardware, including Guns and Cutlery of our own importation. Also a full line of

Patent Bottom Tinware.

Our Crockery Department comprises a large assortment of Glassware, Lamps, &c. Also the best make of English Earthenware, both plain white and decorated goods of our own direct importation. Merchants cannot do better anywhere in this country than by buying of us, as we defy competition and guarantee prices and goods. Therefore we ask for your patronage.

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO., Purcell Building, Wilmington, N. C.

March 13, 1890. 1y

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. | NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PLASTICO

is undoubtedly the finest preparation made for walls.

Improvement on Kalsomine, non-Kalsomine, Alabastine and all other preparations of the kind. Wall can be papered after using it without being scraped. Any tint can be had—only at

W. C. McDUFFIE, Jr's,

Sole Agent, Drug Store.

TRY McDUFFIE'S VIOLA JELLY FOR CHAPPED LIPS AND HANDS.

Nov. 6, 1890.

"DOWN IN FRONT!"

And Hear the News!

A. McIVER & SONS

Would announce to the public that on account of the growth of their business in this city, they have removed their well and

Carefully Selected Stock of Staple and Fancy

GROCERIES

from the brick store, next door to the Park House, to the spacious rooms recently occupied by Messrs. John Roddick & Co., on Hay Street, opposite the People's National Bank and next door to Horne's Drug Store, when and where the public will always find a full line

Heavy, Staple and Fancy Groceries.

A. McIVER & SONS,

NO. 27 HAY ST., FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Oct. 30, 1890—tf

READY? YES!

—AND A—

GOOD "READY," AT THAT!

SEPTEMBER FINDS US WITH A STOCK IN STORE WHICH WE TAKE A PRIDE IN PRESENTING TO THE PEOPLE OF FAYETTEVILLE AND SURROUNDING COUNTRY, AND WHICH WE CAN

RECOMMEND IN THE HIGHEST TERMS,

—WITHOUT FEAR OF OVERESTIMATING ITS EXCELLENCE.—

SPREAD THE NEWS

FAR AND WIDE, PRINTERS' INK; WE WILL

BACK UP ALL YOU SAY!

THOSE WHO ARE TIMID AND DOUBTFUL CAN COME AND SEE, AND WE WILL

CONVINCE ALL

THAT WE HAVE NOT BEEN IDLE DURING THE PAST FEW MONTHS. THE RESULT OF OUR LABORS IS

Piled-up Shelving and Counters.

PRICES HARDLY NEED MENTIONING—PARTICULARLY TO THOSE WHO KNOW US, FOR IT IS WELL UNDERSTOOD THAT FOR

EVERY DOLLAR

SPENT IN

THE C. O. D. CLOTHING STORE

THE BUYER GETS

One Hundred Cents' Worth,

—AND A LITTLE MORE.

WE MARK OUR GOODS PLAINLY; ONE PRICE ONLY; A CHILD CAN BUY AS WELL AS A MAN.

☞ COME AND SEE US.

GEO. ROSENTHAL.

Sept. 18, 1890—tf

! JUST IN TIME !

!! TO SUIT THE SEASON !!

The Handsomest and Best Stock of Clothing for Gentlemen, Youths and Boys just received and for sale cheap at GEO. BRANDT'S.

The largest stock of Shirts and Collars of all descriptions—the best made and cheapest in the market, at GEO. BRANDT'S.

The largest stocks of Blankets, Quilts and Counterpanes, cheap, just received at GEO. BRANDT'S.

Oct. 23, 1890.

Fayetteville Milling and Lumber Co.

offers for sale Rough and Dressed Lumber—Flooring, Ceiling, Weather-boarding, &c.

Prices low as the lowest.

Orders filled on short notice.

Oct. 2, 1890. tf

Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of a certain deed of mortgage executed on March 13th, 1888, by Josiah Pope and wife to C. T. Williams & Co., and which has been duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Cumberland County, N. C., in Book "I, No. 4," on page 647, &c., and transferred and assigned to us, we will expose to sale to the highest bidder at public auction the following real estate in Black River Township, Cumberland County, viz: First Tract—one hundred acres adjoining the lands of J. H. Pope and the home place of said Josiah Pope, it being the same land purchased by Josiah Pope from the heirs of Robert Pope. Second tract—Forty acres adjoining the lands of Z. Taylor and Wiley Barefoot on the south and the lands of I. W. Taylor on the north, it being the same land conveyed to said Josiah Pope by Wiley Barefoot. For further description see said Book "I, No. 4," page 647, and the deeds and conveyances therein referred to.

Place of sale: Court House door, Fayetteville, N. C.

Time of sale: 12 o'clock M., Saturday, November 22nd, 1890.

Terms of sale: Cash.

TUCKER, SMITH & CO., of Baltimore, Md
Assignees of said Mortgage.

H. McD. ROBINSON, Att'y.

Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 27, 1890. ts

OBSERVER.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Published Every Thursday at 19 Green Street (Observer Building.)

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Advertisements will be inserted for $1.00 per square (one inch) for the first and fifty cents for each subsequent publication. Four weeks constitute a month.

Contracts for advertising for any space or time may be made at the office of the OBSERVER, or by correspondence.

☞All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

☞The Editors of this paper will in no wise be responsible for the views expressed by correspondents.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

Meeting Postponed.

On account of the fair and the multifarious duties to strangers and guests which it will be incumbent upon the members to discharge, the regular meeting of the *Athenæum* Club is postponed by direction of the President, Dr. W. C. McDuffie, from this evening until Thursday evening, 27th inst.

Open-Air Concerts.

Fair visitors will have something worth listening to this afternoon and to-morrow afternoon. The "Hi Henry Company" will give open air concerts on the grounds, and their *repertoire* embraces the very choicest of music. If there were no other attraction within the fair inclosure these concerts would well repay the price of admission. Don't fail to hear them.

The Young People Happy.

A delightful German, Mr. Chas. L. Campbell leading, took place in Brandt's Hall on Tuesday evening. Another German will be given this evening, and the annual fair ball will come off to-morrow night. We repeat the notice made last week, to the effect that no formal invitations have been sent out, but that all visitors will be cordially welcomed.

Cotton.

Cotton receipts for Fayetteville up to date number 11,553 bales against about 3,800 bales this time last year. The demand for the "fleecy staple" continues strong, while the prices are the equal of any North Carolina market. Wilmington and Fayetteville closed yesterday at 9 cents for good middling, Raleigh closed at 8⅝ to 8¾, Goldsboro 8⅝ to 8¾. So much for Fayetteville's freight rates.

Attention, Please.

Your attention is directed this week especially to the following new advertisements:

S. B. PARKER—For Sale.
F. R. ROSE—Horse for Sale.
DR. J. W. MCNEILL—A Card.
W. C. MCDUFFIE, JR.—Plastico.
A. J. COOK & CO.—A Catholicon.
OPERA HOUSE—Hi. Henry's Minstrels.
CHAS. G. CAIN—Postponement of Sale.
ROSE & LEAK—Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, &c.
WARREN PRIOR & SON—Jewelry, Diamonds, Stonine, &c.

Special Trains.

To-day and to-morrow special trains will run on the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway, on the western end, above Fayetteville, arriving at 11 A. M., and leaving at 5 P. M.

The train going to Bennettsville will be detained each evening for half an hour—until 4:00 P. M.

The train going east to Wilmington will be held until 3:30 P. M.

Appreciated Abroad.

The other day Mr. A. S. Huske received an order to ship several bushels of sweet potatoes to Rhode Island, as, in the opinion of the person ordering them, they are nowhere grown finer than on the light, loamy lands of Cumberland county and the Cape Fear section. If Mr. Huske could have sent a 'possum with the 'taturs, and as *ante bellum* "mauma" to cook them, his distant customer would have enjoyed a feast not rivaled by even the clam-bakes of "Little Rhody."

The Party Rewards Efficiency.

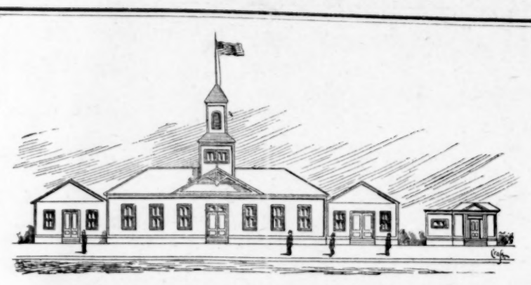
Mr. E. M. Waddill, the regular nominee of the Democratic party for the office of constable of Cross Creek township—a position of no inconsiderable importance and responsibility, dealing as it does with the interests of a large mixed population—was selected by a plurality of 312, or a majority of 261 over all competitors. This is a fitting recognition of the fidelity of a trustworthy public servant who, to the vigilance and unshrinking courage which should accompany an official charge, adds an irreproachable moral character.

Recitation as a Fine Art.

The street *gamin* has not been obliged to wait for the opening of the fair ground gates to fly through the air like the proverbial "beggar on horseback." Our friend, Cross Davis, has for some time had his school of equitation on Hay street (combined with the amusement of "glass ball on the fly"), where the small boy could mount the fiery wooden steed for a nickel; and recently two strangers pitched their tent just east of the depot of the Atlantic Coast Line R. R., where they have been sending their horsemen in the "merry-go-round" to the accompaniment of music.

A Good Market.

The Cumberland Fair, with the consequent influx of strangers into the city, has put dealers in household supplies on their mettle, and one can supply himself with pretty much anything in the way of substantial fare or luxurious living if fortune has endowed him with a sufficient number of shekels for the purchase thereof. There are fruits and vegetables in profusion, fish and oysters, the butcher-stalls filled with the finest Kansas as well as mountain beef, fresh pork and mutton, while there seems to be no limit to the chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys, etc.—and through it all the unguent 'possum holds his own.



THE CUMBERLAND FAIR.

The Exhibition Remarkably Fine—The Town Rapidly Filling Up with Strangers—Amusements, Racing, Tournament etc.

Up to 7 o'clock last evening the crowd in attendance on the fair was not as large as had been hoped for, but the special and regular trains this forenoon will doubtless bring in large numbers, and even last night it was very lively in and around the hotels.

The exhibition is all that could be desired, no department failing to compare favorably with the display of any previous year. Agricultural Hall, especially, has a fine exhibit, not only in the number of entries but in the excellent quality of the products. Floral Hall is, as usual, well abreast of every other department, and here, as in the division of food and condiments, woman's skill and taste have made their impress. In live stock the showing impressed the reporter very favorably, and there are some remarkably fine specimens of poultry.

The entries in Farmers' Hall exceed those of last year by 49.

Those in Department of Food and Condiments are 86 greater than last year; in orchard and vineyard products, 10 greater. The Hope Mills exhibit is magnificent.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

No. 3 Running at 1 P. M.—½ mile dash. Purse $15. First premium $10; second premium $5.

No. 4 Trotting at 2 P. M. Purse $35. Mile heats, best 2 in 3. First premium $25; second premium $10.

No. 5 Running Race at 3 P. M.—mile dash. Purse $35. First premium $25; second premium $10.

No. 6 Trotting Race at 4 P. M.—mile heats, best 2 in 3. Purse $15. First premium $10; second premium $5.

In front of the beautiful exhibit of Messrs. M. Ramos & Co., at 2 P. M., the following musical programme will be rendered:

Signal March—Claude.
L'Estudiantina Waltz—Waldtenfel.
Little Goethe Polka—Moses.
Encouragement Venture—Bœttges.
Clarionet Solo, "Sparkling Dew Drops," by Prof. E. L. Remsburg.
La Gitana Waltz—Bucalossi.
Bohemian Girl (Selections)—Moses.
Rentz Santtey Medley—Becker.
Gipsy Galop—Beyer.

Prof. E. L. Remsburg on the carionet; Mr. E. J. McHenry, piano; J. H. Thurston, violin.

At 3:30 P. M. the splendid Orchestral Band of the Hi Henry Minstrels will give an open-air concert on the grounds.

Hi Henry Minstrels at Opera House at 8:30 o'clock.

German at 11 P. M.

TO-MORROW'S PROGRAMME.

No. 7 Running Race at 1 P. M.—½ mile dash. Purse $15. First premium $10; second premium $5.

No. 8 Trotting at 2 P. M.—mile heats, best 2 in 3. Purse $35. First premium $25; second premium $10.

No. 9 Running at 3 P. M.—mile dash. Purse $35. First premium $25; second premium $10.

No. 10 Trotting Race at 4 P. M.—mile heats, best 2 in 3. Purse $15. First premium $10; second premium $5.

$25 will be given for special race on Friday.

Tournament at 11 A. M.

Open-air concert by the Hi Henry Orchestral Band at 3:30 P. M.

Hi Henry Minstrels at Opera-House at 8:30.

Grand Fair ball at 11 P. M.

The "Hi Henry" Company.

Undoubtedly there is wonderful attractiveness in negro minstrelsy before the footlights. Pathos and bathos in burnt cork have captured æsthetic and cultured American audiences for more than fifty years, and have wreathed with tender memories the names of Sweeney, Wood, Dan Bryant, Eph Horne, Dave Reed, Nelse Seymour and a long procession of other "poor Yoricks" of the stage, who made laughter bubble to the lips, and often the tear to start to the eye as well.

With the sloughing of his skin of slavery, the negro has lost much of his picturesqueness: we idealized while we caricatured him—his freedom, which brought him more prominently to the front, has demonstrated that. The play-goer of to-day demands a change in the bill: he is willing to take the plantation song and "break-down" as the *piece de resistance*, but he wants more elaborate accessories than the bones and the kinky wig—a sparkling *vaudeville*, splendid costumes and music which thrills as well as melody which "takes."

The "Hi Henry" Company presents one of the most attractive and least objectionable types of this minstrelsy *en renaissance*—ranking with Cook & Dillon and George Wilson—and tenders an entertainment, magnificently mounted on the boards, which throughout pays all imaginable deference to female modesty and refinement. The ladies of Fayetteville need not debar themselves the enjoyment of a very pleasant evening for fear of a shock to their sensibilities. The Greenville (S. C.) *Daily News* says of the company's admirable performance on the evening of Oct. 25th:

The largest Saturday night audience ever in the opera house, and by far the largest and most appreciative of the season, greeted Hi Henry's minstrels last night. The curtain went up on one of the most gorgeous scenes a Greenville audience has had the pleasure of seeing in many days. The stage was bedecked with damask drapery, and the minstrels were dressed in elegant costumes of silk and other fine textures. George Decker, the bass soloist, and Burt Winters, the tenor, were both heartily applauded by the audience. Will G. Mack, in "Southern Life, or Scenes on the Levee," impersonated the old negro to perfection, and Billy Benson was as great in his female impersonations as if he was a woman. Hi Henry and his cornet were special features of the evening, and Mr. Henry was warmly applauded.

Fayetteville Choral Association.

Quite a number of the ladies and gentlemen of Fayetteville assembled in Brandt's Hall on Thursday evening last for the purpose of organizing a musical association.

On motion of Mr. H. R. Novitzky, Mr. J. H. Myrover was called to the chair, and Mr. Leighton Huske was requested to act as secretary. A list of the names of those present was read, all of whom expressed a wish to become members of the association, and there were besides many who were not present, but heartily favored the project. The permanent organization was effected by the election of Capt. N. W. Ray as President; Mr. E. J. Lilly, Vice-President; Prof. G. W. Scott, Corresponding Secretary; Mr. W. S. Sheetz, Recording Secretary; Mr. W. B LaFar, Treasurer; Capt. N. W. Ray, Prof. G. W. Scott, Messrs. E. J. Lilly, H. R. Novitzky, J. H. Myrover, Directors.

The question of a name for the society having been brought up for consideration, that of "Fayetteville Choral Association" was unanimously adopted. After fixing the amount of the initiation fee and the monthly dues, the association adjourned to meet on Thursday evening, 20th inst., with a request that at that time the Directors submit a draft of constitution and by-laws.

The organization of this association affords us much pleasure, and we want to see its membership number not by scores but by hundreds the best people of this community. The very elevating influence of good music is unquestioned, and advanced thought is bringing this prominently forward in all the large towns and cities of America. Only the other day Chicago offered Theodore Thomas a fixed income of $50,000 for only a part of his time devoted each year to the Conservatory of Music of that city. Especially would we be glad to see a high standard of sacred music in the church choirs of Fayetteville, where there is so much excellent talent.

From the "Archives of Gravity."

While in Mr. Horne's drug-store the other day, he slowed us a discolored, time-stained paper, well worthy the perusal of anyone feeling an interest in the past history of Fayetteville. It is a document bearing date just 54 years ago, November 7th, 1836, and drawn up and signed by certain stockholders of the "Cape Fear, Yadkin & Pee Dee R. R. Company," in which, under specified considerations, they "bargain, sell, remise, release and surrender" to said company certain stock and real estate. Strange to say, though many years before his time, the penmanship of the context of this interesting paper is almost a counterpart of the chirography of our esteemed friend and experienced railroad man, Mr. Jno. M. Rose.

There are 49 signatures appended to this document—but where are the hands that traced them, where? Shrouded is all their cunning in the grave, except that of Mr. R. C. Belden, who resides, at an advanced age, in an adjoining county. *Eheu mortalia fugacia!*

Though but 24 years old at that time, Warren Winslow evidently took a leading part in this important transaction, as interlineations in the body of the copy were made in his handwriting. Doubtless, even at that early age, he gave promise of the intellectual force which made him one of the ablest men, and certainly one of the most astute politicians, that Fayetteville has produced.

A Wonderful Report.

Through the kindness of Evangelist Fife, and at our request, we are enabled to present to our readers to-day a report of his evangelistic work since his entrance into the evangelistic field. The good he has done as an ambassador of Christ cannot be estimated in figures; it abounds in many things. It was in June, 1889, that he held his first meeting, and since that time he has held twenty-six, with the following result:

Number of conversions and reclamations,	8,000
Applications for church membership:	
Presbyterian,	800
Methodist,	1,300
Baptist,	600
Episcopal,	100
Lutheran,	100
Associate Reformed German,	100

In addition to the above, Mr. Fife tells us that the "number of persons promising to give up whisky drinking, and do what they can against it, are about 10,000."

Whisky distillers converted,	22
Saloon keepers converted and closed business,	9

This celebrated Evangelist will begin a meeting in the Sam Jones Tabernacle at Norfolk, Va., January 10th, 1891.

Cumberland in Distant Lands.

The Eastman (Ga.) *Times-Journal* of Oct. 31st makes the following mention of a native of this section, but for some time a successful and esteemed citizen of the State of Georgia:

A trade was confirmed a few days ago, in which Mr. June A. Williams purchased a half-interest in the naval store business of Mr. J. R. Shepard at Nameless. Mr. Williams has been made general manager of this large business. It was a strong firm before, and this transaction makes it one of the strongest in the country.

Mr. Williams sometimes lays aside the cares of business, and "handles the ribbons" in his hours of relaxation, as is evidenced by the following from another issue of the same paper, taken from an article on the fair:

One of the most attractive of the many handsome turn-outs on the course was the pair of bays driven by Mr. J. A. Williams, of Eunice. The party in the carriage set off the horses, too.

By the way, is Mr. Williams married?

Closed for the Day.

On account of the fair, both the Peoples' National Bank and the Bank of Fayetteville will be closed to-day.

Casualty at the Bucket Factory.

We greatly regret to learn that Mr. Jno. W. Maultsby painfully injured his hand on Tuesday last in the machinery of the Fayetteville Bucket Company.

Serious Accident.

George Fuller, colored, employed by Mr. N. B. Alexander at the Fayetteville Oil Mills, in the suburbs of the city, was accidentally caught by the belting of the machinery while at work on Tuesday afternoon, and before he could be extricated his face and shoulder were badly torn.

An Excellent School.

The OBSERVER is glad to learn of the prosperous condition of the Fayetteville Graded School. Prof. McIver, the Superintendent, informs us that he has at present about 325 scholars in regular daily attendance, several having been added this month.

For a Laudable Object.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church serve oysters, hot coffee, lunch and other refreshments on the fair-grounds to-day and to-morrow. Everything will be nicely served at very reasonable prices; and, as the proceeds are to be devoted to church work, we hope liberal patronage will be accorded to them.

Superior Court.

The November term of the Superior Court of Cumberland county is in session this week, his Honor, Judge MacRae, on the bench, and Mr. Frank McNeill solicitor. There is no case of special importance demanding the attention of the court. We will next week give the cases disposed of during the term.

New Quarters.

Dr. J. W. McNeill has fitted up in handsome style, and moved his office to one door from Sedberry's drug store, on Person Street, where he is better prepared than ever to serve those in need of his services. Nothing we might say would add to the popularity of this justly popular physician, for whom our people entertain the highest regard.

A Melancholy Death.

Mr. Frank Roberts, summoned from his residence at the North to the death-bed of his father a few weeks since, was prostrated with serious illness immediately after the latter's death, aggravated by mental affliction, from which the best medical skill was powerless to recover him, and his death took place on Tuesday night. Our cordial sympathies are tendered to the doubly-afflicted family.

In Holiday Attire.

All the business houses on the main thoroughfares wear their holiday garb this week—the dry goods, clothing, book and music and jewelry stores resplendent, and the grocery stores displaying a profusion of tempting things. The show-windows of the Rosenthal C. O. D. Clothing Store are a triumph of Russian art, with tasteful grouping of colors and fabrics, of which the Brooklyn Bridge is a central figure.

Horse Thief Comes to Grief.

Chief of Police Flowers arrested a man here last Saturday by the name of Will. Royster, charged with the theft of a horse, bridle and saddle, property of Mr. J. R. Harp, of Wake. Circulars were promptly sent out to the chiefs of the police departments of the various towns describing the stolen property, and before Saturday night Chief Flowers wired the Chief of Police of Raleigh to come for the thief, which he promptly did.

Now for Sampson, God Bless Her!

The annual fair of the Sampson County Agricultural Society is next on the programme, taking place week after next, 26th, 27th and 28th insts. Senator Vance and Gov. Fowle are among the distinguished guests expected to be present. The writer recalls some of the pleasantest hours of his past life spent at the Sampson Fair, where the gathering of clever people cannot be surpassed, and the exhibition, especially of stock, is always fine.

Delegates to the Immigration Convention.

According to the rulings of the Southern Inter-State Immigration Convention, Capt. A. B. Williams, chairman of the board of county commissioners of Cumberland county, has appointed Mr. W. B. Draughon and Col. Wm. Alderman delegates, with Capt. J. A. McPherson and Maj. Jonathan Evans, alternates, to the Annual Southern Inter-State Immigration Convention of 1890, which will assemble in the city of Asheville, N. C., December 17th to 19th.

Town Commissioners.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Town Commissioners Mr. J. D. McNeill was appointed superintendent of the police force for Fayetteville during the Fair this week. Mr. McNeill, it will be remembered, filled the responsible position of superintendent of the police force during the Centennial last year, and performed his duties so satisfactorily that his services were brought into requisition this year. No better selection could have been made, and the authorities are peculiarly fortunate in securing the services of one so competent.

River and Harbor Improvement.

Wilmington Star.]

Capt. Bixby, U. S. Engineer in charge of Government improvements of rivers and harbors in this district, calls for bids for work to be done next year. The bids will be opened on the 15th and 16th of December.

For dredging Cape Fear river, at and below Wilmington, the amount available is $110,000 to $115,000; for dredging Lockwood's Folly river, $35,000; for diking Winyaw Bay, S. C., $170,000 to $180,000; for dredging harbor at Georgetown, S. C., $6,000 to $7,000; for dredging harbor at Beaufort, N. C., $10,000 to $12,000; for dredging water-way between Beaufort harbor and New River, N. C., $7,000 to $9,000; for dredging New River, N. C., $5,500 to $6,500.

BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS.

We show a very large line of Boys' and Children's Suits this season in all grades and styles—Jerseys, Blue Cheviots, Fancy Cheviots, Tricots and Cassimeres, all ages; long and short pants.

FRANK THORNTON.

Anniversary of the Baptist Church

On Tuesday, 25th inst., the 1st Baptist Church of this city will have completed the 53rd year of its existence, and it is the purpose of the congregation to appropriately commemorate the church organization by an anniversary celebration.

The exercises—covering a period of three days—will embrace for consideration and discussion subjects of importance to the christian world generally and the Baptist denomination especially; and among the clerical and lay members who will take part in the services, either in person or by papers prepared and submitted, we note such distinguished men as Revs. Drs. T. H. Pritchard, C. Durham, N. B. Cobb, J. J. Brantly; Revs. H. A. Brown; Wm. Brunt, J. A. Speight, G. W. Greene, W. B. Harrell, F. W. Eason, R. T. Gray, D. S. Williams, T. W. Ebeltoft; Hon. G. W. Sanderlin, Dr. C. A. Rominger and Mr. N. B. Broughton—besides a number of other ministers to whom have not been assigned special places on the programme.

All members of the church now in good standing, or who have been regularly dismissed to sister churches, are expected to be present; and the public are cordially invited to attend all the services, which will be as follows: Tuesday, 25th inst., 7 P. M.; Wednesday, 26th, 10:30 A. M., 3 P. M., 7 P. M.; Thursday, 27th, 10:30 A. M., 3 P. M., 7 P. M. The Sunday-Schools of the city are especially invited to be present at the 3 o'clock exercises on Wednesday, 26th.

We congratulate our friends of the Baptist congregation upon the cheering light of more than half a century shining upon this anniversary celebration, and the undiminished vigor and unfaltering fidelity with which, after over fifty years of service to the Master, their church is still asking: "Lord, what wilt Thou have me do?" With an united congregation and an able, consecrated pastor, may it grow in prosperity and strength!

Satan.

Rose Osborne and her company, in "Satan," played to a fairly good house in Williams Hall on Tuesday evening. Miss Osborne is entitled to her wonted meed of popular favor—still bright, animated, charming. She is not fortunate in her voice, but has a fine presence, is a painstaking student, singularly free of mannerism, and equal to very clever reaches of dramatic art. Messrs. Day and Bellows are good supports, and the remainder of the company are thoroughly capable of offering an excellent performance to discriminating judges. One of the best bits of acting throughout the whole piece was Marie Day's purchase of her marriage certificate, as "Lulia de Nantella."

In Act III., the rescuer, emerging from a barrel, fails to get his arsenal to work: his powder flashes in the pan at the critical instant, but the villain of the piece goes down all the same, and would undoubtedly have died then and there had he not been resuscitated for after-retribution. However, the audience caught the humor of the thing with intense enjoyment, and the actors and actresses displayed such *aplomb* and graceful self-possession that the *faux pas* almost received an *encore*.

In truth, the company is far better than the entertainment furnished on Tuesday night. There is very little in "Satan." It is full of startling situations and sensations which come awkwardly, baldly—"sorter anyhow"—upon the stage, often illogical and anachronistic, and unrelieved by entertaining incident. The hour at which we go to press precludes a notice of "Forget Me Not," which was rendered last night. It is a beautiful play, worthy of the troupe, and has already given Miss Osborne flattering laurels. We will venture to say that there was a highly pleased audience at its close.

The want of an orchestra detracts from the interest of the "Rose Osborne Company," but young Mr. John Worth, at the piano, supplied that want as nearly as possible. He is almost a *virtuoso*, if such a term can be applied to a boy, with a genius for music.

Graded School Report.

To the Trustees of the Fayetteville Graded School:

GENTLEMEN:—The following is my report for the second month of the present session:

Several new pupils have been enrolled. The attendance has been 89 per cent.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Girls.—Misses Mamie Haigh, Augusta McKethan, Maggie Moore, Georgie Worth, Ethel Fisher, Jennie Fisher, Nellie Graham, Rebecca Schlossberg, Eugenia Welsh, Janie McKethan, Alberta Melvin, Ellen Hollingsworth, Virginia Ward, Alice Vann, Sallie Brown, Jennie Ingram, Katie Warwick, Prudence Cain, Pauline Cole, Mary Elwell, Beatrice Evans, Irene Johnson, Marion McLean, Maud Brower, May Etta Driver, Clara Rosenthal, Virginia Hundley, May Evans, Etta Bell Clark, Hettie Brown, Georgie Borden, Hattie Clark, Lanie Borden, Lillie Davis, Hattie Deal, Sabie Driver, Sadie Giles, Harriet Humphrey, Lena Melvin, Eliza Hill Robeson, Irene Sanders, Fannie Ward, Minnie Johnson.

Boys.—Junius Sutton, John McKethan, George Rose, John M. Rose, James Bizzell, Tom Moore, Edwin Cole, Hoagland Davis, Jarvis Melvin, Charlie Rose, Dillon Jordan, Thomas Wright, Doremer Pearce, Thomas Lewis, Albert Creal, John Graddy, Neill McArtan, Fred Brower, Willie Reid, Henry Lamb, Leland Muse, Percy Maxwell.

Reports of progress in studies, attendance and deportment of their children are furnished parents each month. The value of this report depends almost entirely upon the attention parents give it.

The report should be examined and signed by them. This will lead the child to see the harmony between home and the school. Parents can in this way help the school to better discipline and better work.

B. C. MCIVER, Sup't.

Nov. 11, 1890.

BEAUTIFUL ROOMS,

we know, can be found in abundance in this, our beautiful little city and vicinity. We know this from the number of Carpets we have furnished to our patrons. We struck a run on Carpets at the opening of the season, and it has stayed with us, and still increases. Possibly our stock is larger, and patterns more attractive, than can be found elsewhere; the public judges those matters. To-day we received an addition of 25 pieces to our stock. They will sell at sight. See them if you wish a Carpet.

FRANK THORNTON.

OFFICIAL VOTE

of the County of Cumberland, at the Election held Tuesday, November 4th, 1890.

TOWNSHIPS.	J. H. Smith, Sheriff	N. C. Thagard, Sheriff	Chas. G. Cain, Clerk Sup. Court	M. H. Holland, Clerk Sup. Court	H. L. Hall, Register of Deeds	Jno. H. Troy, Treasurer	Jno. H. Downing, Surveyor	J. W. McNeill, Coroner	J. A. Green, Senate	R. F. Gregson, Senate	Thos. H. Sutton, House	A. D. McGill, House	Warren Carver, House	D. A. Hair, House	H. F. Grady, Congress	G. C. Scarlett, Congress	A. S. Merriman, Supreme Court	Chas. Price, Supreme Court	Walter Clark, Supreme Court	W. T. Faircloth, Supreme Court	G. H. Brown, Jr., Superior Court	W. H. Bagley, Superior Court	H. R. Bryan, Superior Court	J. D. McLeod, Superior Court	Frank McNeill, Solicitor
Cross Creek	1010	101	928	70	898	887	887	887	754	754	1375	867	695	1233	696	1405	698	349	607	347	614	524	695	614	474
Beaver Dam	35	84	70	21	75	76	68	68	29	29	50	82	58	44	63	56	56	56	63	56	63	63	63	63	63
Black River	65	105	164	....	159	161	162	162	161	161	95	169	144	62	153	148	153	148	153	148	153	153	153	153	153
Barbecue	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107	107
Carver's Creek	157	191	192	192	358	250	256	256	257	257	146	211	194	138	195	148	202	202	202	202	202	202	202	202	202
Flea Hill	2341	2170	2236	1888	2236	318	318	318	2275	2275	2259	278	144	1138	143	103	136	103	154	103	154	154	154	154	154
Gray's Creek	122	100	122	78	120	136	136	136	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120
Little River	61	60	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61	61
Quewhiffle	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286	286
Seventy-First	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281	281
Total	3966	3445	3966	745	1053	1930	2026	1974	1117	2073	2969	1120	1216	1216	2929	1588	2577	1433	2583	1347	2743	2583	2577	2574	2574

* The remainder of the Judicial ticket varies very little from the above.

Misses Mary and Emma Sanford, of Warwick, N. Y., and Miss Nellie Atkins, of Richmond, Va., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Glover, on Anderson street.

Maj. E. J. Hale, at one time editor of the FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER, and Consul to Manchester, England, during the administration of Cleveland, was in Washington City last week, and his family are at Mt. Airy. Maj. Hale's talents and great acquirements are being exerted in an important position with an English syndicate.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Epoch.

The transition from long, lingering and painful sickness to robust health marks an epoch in the life of the individual. Such a remarkable event is treasured in the memory, and the agency whereby the good health has been attained is gratefully blessed. Hence it is that so much is heard in praise of Electric Bitters. So many feel they owe their restoration to health to the use of the Great Alterative and Tonic. If you are troubled with any disease of Kidneys, Liver or Stomach of long or short standing you will surely find relief by use of Electric Bitters. Sold at 50c. and $1 per bottle at B. E. Sedberry & Son's Drug Store.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mount, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight."

Arthur Love, Manager Love's Funny Folks Combination, writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence, I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption beats 'em all, and cures when everything else fails. The greatest kindness I can do to my many thousand friends is to urge them to try it." Free trial bottles at B. E. Sedberry & Son's Drug Store. Regular sizes 50c. and $1.00.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

SHOULDER CAPES

are in demand, and we show them in every variety. The Cloth Cape seems to be a favorite, and we have a large assortment of them, together with Astrachan, Monkey, Seal, Badger, Wool and other styles. A full and complete line, and some very handsome combinations. Look at them.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Horse for Sale.

A GOOD HORSE for sale—may be seen at the stable of Mr. George Burns.

F. R. ROSE.

Nov. 13, 1890. 1t

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Respectfully,

ROSE & LEAK.

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Nov. 13, 1890. 1t

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Nov. 6, 1890. 6t

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FOR SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, approved by the Judge on the 28th of October, 1890, the undersigned commissioners will expose to public sale, at the Market House in Fayetteville, that valuable real estate known as the Ellis property, on the north side of Person street, near the Half-way Bridge, corner of Person and Washington streets, and now occupied by Mr. E. M. Waddill.

The premises are very large and will be sold in 4 lots—two fronting on Person street, and two on Washington street, in Fayetteville, N. C. One of the lots on Person street has a good dwelling house on it. The other lot is a beautiful corner lot. They are each 99x198 feet. The lots on Washington street are each 65x198 feet.

Time of sale: Saturday, the 22nd of November, 1890, at 12 o'clock M.

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Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 23, 1890. 3t

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But die e'er spoken, fail to play their part,
And claim a merit that is not their own.
The kindly word unspoken is a sin,
A sin that wraps itself in purest guise,
And tells the heart that, doubting, looks within,
That not in speech, but thought, the virtue lies.

But 'tis not so: another heart may thirst
For that kind word, as Hager in the wild—
Poor banished Hager!—prayed a well might burst
From out the sand to save her parching child.
And loving eyes that cannot see the mind,
Will watch the expected movement of the lip:
Ah! can ye let its cutting silence wind
Around that heart and scathe it like a whip?

Unspoken words, like treasures in the mine,
Are valueless until we give them birth;
Like unfound gold their hidden beauties shine
Which God has made to bless and gild the earth.
How sad 'twould be to see a master hand
Strike glorious notes upon a voiceless lute!
But oh! what pain when, at God's own command,
A heart string thrills with kindness, but is mute.

Then hide it not, the music of the soul,
Dear sympathy, expressed with kindly voice,
But let it like a shining river roll
To deserts dry—to hearts that would rejoice.
Oh! let the symphony of kindly words
Sound for the poor, the friendless, and the weak;
And he will bless you—he who struck these cords
Will strike another when in turn you seek.
—*John Boyle O'Reilly.*

Farm and Garden Notes.

Select the seed corn.

Look out for cracked and scratched teats at this time of year.

Regularity of feeding and a constant supply of water for stock are necessary to the best results.

Cows filled up on straw alone are not apt to give much milk—far less, much cream.

It saves time to do everything on time; a regular routine of work is a great time-saver.

It won't pay you to do without a thermometer if you are going to make butter this winter.

Dig potatoes as soon as ripe. Nothing is gained by leaving them in the ground after they are fit to dig.

If you are fond of ease you had better not try winter dairying as a means of getting on in the world.

The less potatoes are handled the better they will keep. They are better in a cool cellar than exposed to the sun.

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Some dairymen feed higher than the profits in milk warrant, but too many feed too low for the best profit. Which are you doing?

Rotation of Crops.

New York Times.]

Can farming be carried on without some rotation of crops? Can special crops be grown as a business, as, for instance, hay alone, or potatoes, corn, wheat, etc.? Such cultivation is opposed to both science and practice; and while, to some extent, a farmer may make a special business of growing some particular crop, it must be done under some rotation. For instance, a possible rotation is wheat, clover and potatoes, and affords a special crop—potatoes—which will pay enough to make up for possible losses on the others. A farmer may have a small farm—40 acres, for instance—and have 4 fields: 1 in wheat, 2 in clover, 1 in potatoes. If he can produce 2,000 bushels of potatoes, worth $1,500, 350 bushels of wheat, worth $250, and 40 tons of clover hay, worth $400, his income will be $2,150 per year; and he manures 10 acres each year at an expense of $300, ploughing in a field of clover with the manure made upon the farm for the potatoes, sowing wheat after this crop, and seeding with clover.

This plan, no doubt, can be carried on as a permanent rotation, and afford a comfortable living; but it cannot be expected that hay can be grown year after year, or any other crop, without failure at last.

Young Girl Rescued from an Abductor.

NORFOLK, Va., Oct. 31.—Special to the Richmond *Times*: A young school-girl, seventeen years of age, who had run away from Oxford College, North Carolina, was rescued this evening from a coal barge at anchor off Lambert's Point, in command of a captain named Lind. The captain of the barge swore when the officers came alongside that the girl could be only taken off the barge over his dead body, but when they covered him with their pistols he meekly succumbed, and turned the young lady over to the detectives. The parents of the young lady are expected in Norfolk to-morrow, and in the meantime she is staying with friends.

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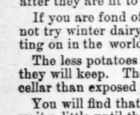

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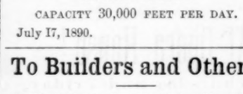

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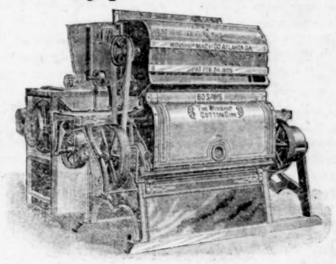

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In effect August 18th, 1890.

NORTH BOUND.

	Daily Except Sunday. No. 1.	Sunday. No. 3.	Daily Exc Sunday. No. 15.
Leave Wilmington,	9:00 a m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	12:25 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	12:50 p m		
Leave Sanford,	2:22 p m		
Arrive Greensboro,	5:00 p m		
Leave Greensboro,	5:10 p m		
Leave Walnut Cove,	6:32 p m		
Arrive Mt. Airy,	8:25 p m		
Leave Bennettsville,		8:20 a m	
Arrive Maxton,		9:35 a m	
Leave Maxton,		9:45 a m	
Arrive Fayetteville,		11:45 a m	
Leave Ramseur,			6:50 a m
Arrive Greensboro,			9:25 a m
Leave Greensboro,			10:10 a m
Arrive Madison,			12:30 p m

SOUTH BOUND.

	Daily Except Sunday. No. 2.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 4.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 16.
Leave Mt. Airy,	6:00 a m		
Arrive Greensboro,	9:20 a m		
Leave Greensboro,	9:50 a m		
Leave Sanford,	12:19 p m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	1:50 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	2:15 p m		
Arrive Wilmington,	5:45 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,		3:30 p m	
Arrive Maxton,		5:20 p m	
Leave Maxton,		5:30 p m	
Arrive Bennettsville,		6:45 p m	
Leave Madison,			1:20 p m
Arrive Greensboro,			3:30 p m
Leave Greensboro			3:45 p m
Arrive Ramseur,			6:50 p m

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Condensed Schedule.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Sept. 10, 1890.	No. 23, Daily.	No. 27, Daily.
Leave Weldon	12 30 P. M.	5 43 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	1 46 "	.....
Arrive Tarboro	*2 17 P. M.	.....
Leave Tarboro	10 20 A. M.	.....
Arrive Wilson	2 20 P. M.	7 00 P. M.
Leave Wilson	†2 30 "	.....
Arrive Selma	4 30 "	.....
Arrive Fayetteville	5 30 "	.....
Leave Goldsboro	3 15 "	7 40 "
Leave Warsaw	4 10 "	.....
Leave Magnolia	4 24 "	8 40 P. M.
Arrive Wilmington	5 50 "	9 55 P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 14. Daily.	No. 78. Daily.
Leave Wilmington	12 01 A. M.	9 00 A. M.
Leave Magnolia	1 21 "	10 34 "
Leave Warsaw		10 48 "
Arrive Goldsboro	2 23 A. M.	11 45 "
Leave Fayetteville	.....	9 20 A. M.
Arrive Selma	.....	11 18 "
Arrive Wilson	.....	12 20 P. M.
Leave Wilson	3 03 A. M.	12 37 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	.....	1 10 "
Arrive Tarboro	.....	*2 00 "
Leave Tarboro	.....	10 20 A. M.
Arrive Weldon	4 20 A. M.	2 45 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3:15 P M, Halifax 3:37 P M, arrive Scotland Neck at 4:25 P M, Greenville 6:00 P M. Returning, leaves Greenville 7:20 A M, Arriving Halifax at 10:10 A M, Weldon 10.30 A M, daily except Sunday.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday, Local Freight leaves Weldon 10:30 A M, Halifax 11:30 A M, Scotland Neck 2:00 P M. Arriving Greenville 5:10 P M. Returning, leave Greenville Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 9:30 A M, Scotland Neck 1:00 P M, Halifax 3:35 P M. Arriving Weldon 4:00 P M.

Train leaves Tarboro, N C, via Albemarle & Raleigh R R Daily except Sunday, 4:05 P M, Sunday 3:00 P M, arrive Williamston N C, 6:30 P M, 4:20 P M, Plymouth 7:50 P M, 5:20 P M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M, Sunday 9:00 A M, Williamston, N C, 7:10 A M, 9:58 A M. Arrive Tarboro 9:30 A M, 11:20 A M.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N C, Daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M, arrive Smithfield, N C, 7:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N C, 8:00 A M, arrive Goldsboro, N C, 9:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 3:00 P M, arrives Nashville 3:40 P M, Spring Hope 4:15 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 10:00 A M, Nashville 10:35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 11:15 A M, daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 6:00 P M and 11:10 A M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 8:20 A M and 3:10 P M, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41, 40, 23 and 78.

Southbound Train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No 51. Northbound is No 50. *Daily except Sunday.

Train No 27 South will stop only at Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia.

Train No 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North daily. All rail via Richmond, and daily except Sunday via Bay Line.

All Trains run solid between Wilmington and Washington, and have Pullman Palace Sleepers attached.

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